

Recovery Plan Action Status

Plan Name: Florida Scrub Jay

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Species	Action Priority #	Action #	Action Description	Action Status	Est. Initiation Date	Est. Completion Date	Responsible Parties	Work Type	Labor Type	Action Comments
Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	1	11	Develop management plans for scrub jays on public lands	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, U.S. National Aeronautics and Space Administration, U.S. Forest Service, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, U.S. Air Force, South Florida Water Management District, St. Johns Water Management District, Southwest Florida Water Management District, The Nature Conservancy, Florida Department of Forestry	Management: Planning	Contract, Graduate Student, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert	If 'parties' column contains: NASA - includes Kennedy Space Center; USAF - includes Cape Canaveral AFS, Patrick AFB, and Avon Park AFR; USFS - Includes Ocala National Forest
Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	2	12	Conduct Section 7 consultations	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta	Other: Administration, Other: Regulations	Internal Administrative	

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Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	3	21	Develop guidelines to meet habitat requirements	Complete	Prior to FY 1995	Prior to FY 1995	Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, U.S. National Aeronautics and Space Administration, U.S. Forest Service, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, Treasure Coast Regional Planning Council, U.S. Air Force, South Florida Water Management District, St. Johns Water Management District, Southwest Florida Water Management District, The Nature Conservancy, Florida Department of Forestry	Research, Research: Habitat Requirements, Research: Other Information, Research: Population Surveys	Contract, Graduate Student, Internal Field Assistance, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert, Volunteer	Relates to task 41. Revised guidelines 2010
Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	2	22	Conduct habitat surveys	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, U.S. National Aeronautics and Space Administration, U.S. Forest Service, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, U.S. Air Force, South Florida Water Management District, St. Johns Water Management District, Southwest Florida Water Management District, The Nature Conservancy, Florida Department of Forestry	Research: Habitat Requirements, Research: Habitat Status, Research: Other Information	Contract, Graduate Student, Internal Field Assistance, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert, Volunteer	

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Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	1	24	Manage habitats	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, U.S. National Aeronautics and Space Administration, U.S. Forest Service, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, U.S. Air Force, South Florida Water Management District, St. Johns Water Management District, Southwest Florida Water Management District, The Nature Conservancy, Florida Department of Forestry	Management: Habitat Maintenance and Manipulation	Contract, Graduate Student, Internal Field Assistance, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert, Volunteer	
Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	1	25	Develop management guidelines	Complete	Prior to FY 1995	Prior to FY 1995	Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, U.S. National Aeronautics and Space Administration, U.S. Forest Service, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, Treasure Coast Regional Planning Council, U.S. Air Force, South Florida Water Management District, St. Johns Water Management District, Southwest Florida Water Management District, The Nature Conservancy, Florida Department of Forestry	Management: Land Use, Management: Other, Management: Planning, Other: Information and Education	Contract, Graduate Student, Internal Field Assistance, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert	

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Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	1	261	Protect private lands	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		U.S. Forest Service, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, U.S. Air Force, South Florida Water Management District, St. Johns Water Management District, Southwest Florida Water Management District, The Nature Conservancy, Natural Resource Conservation Service	Acquisition, Acquisition: Easement, Acquisition: Lease	Contract	
Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	2	262	Encourage private landowners to maintain habitat	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, The Nature Conservancy	Management, Management: General, Management: Habitat Maintenance and Manipulation, Management: Land Use	Internal Administrative, Internal Field Assistance, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert	
Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	3	31	Develop landowner contact program	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta	Other: Administration, Other: Information and Education	Internal Administrative, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert	
Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	3	32	Educate the public	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, U.S. Forest Service, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, South Florida Water Management District, St. Johns Water Management District, Southwest Florida Water Management District, The Nature Conservancy, Natural Resource Conservation Service	Other: Information and Education	Contract, Graduate Student, Internal Administrative, Internal Field Assistance, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert, Volunteer	See 31

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Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	3	41	Determine minimum habitat size	Complete	Prior to FY 1995	Prior to FY 1995	Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, U.S. National Aeronautics and Space Administration, U.S. Forest Service, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, U.S. Air Force	Research, Research: Demographic Studies, Research: General, Research: Habitat Requirements, Research: Other Information	Contract, Graduate Student, Internal Field Assistance, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert	
Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	2	42	Obtain information on basic biology	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, U.S. National Aeronautics and Space Administration, U.S. Forest Service, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, U.S. Air Force, South Florida Water Management District, St. Johns Water Management District, Southwest Florida Water Management District, The Nature Conservancy, Florida Department of Forestry	Research, Research: Competition, Research: Demographic Studies, Research: Disease, Research: General, Research: Genetics, Research: Habitat Requirements, Research: Habitat Status, Research: Management Techniques, Research: Migration, Research: Other Information, Research: Population Surveys, Research: Predation, Research: Reintroduction	Contract, Graduate Student, Internal Field Assistance, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert, Volunteer	
Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	2	43	Determine introduction capabilities of scrub jay	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, South Florida Water Management District, St. Johns Water Management District, Southwest Florida Water Management District, Florida Department of Forestry	Research: Reintroduction	Contract, Graduate Student, Species Expert, Volunteer	This project should encompass tasks 43, 5, 51, 51 and 53

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Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	2	44	Determine current distribution of small populations	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, South Florida Water Management District, St. Johns Water Management District, Southwest Florida Water Management District	Research: Population Surveys	Contract, Graduate Student, Internal Field Assistance, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert, Volunteer	Included in task 23
Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	2	45	Conduct periodic censuses	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, U.S. National Aeronautics and Space Administration, U.S. Forest Service, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, U.S. Air Force, South Florida Water Management District, St. Johns Water Management District, Southwest Florida Water Management District, The Nature Conservancy, Florida Department of Forestry	Research: Population Surveys	Contract, Graduate Student, Internal Field Assistance, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert, Volunteer	

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Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	2	5	Reestablish populations of scrub jays	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, U.S. National Aeronautics and Space Administration, U.S. Forest Service, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, U.S. Air Force, South Florida Water Management District, St. Johns Water Management District, Southwest Florida Water Management District, Florida Department of Forestry	Management, Management: Land Use, Management: Reintroduction, Research: Habitat Requirements, Research: Management Techniques, Research: Reintroduction	Contract, Graduate Student, Internal Field Assistance, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert, Volunteer	Included in 43
Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	2	51	Restore and maintain such habitats	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, U.S. National Aeronautics and Space Administration, U.S. Forest Service, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, U.S. Air Force, South Florida Water Management District, St. Johns Water Management District, Southwest Florida Water Management District, Florida Department of Forestry	Management, Management: Habitat Maintenance and Manipulation, Management: Land Use, Management: Reintroduction	Contract, Graduate Student, Internal Field Assistance, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert, Volunteer	Included in 43

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Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	2	52	Live trap helpers to enhance other populations	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, U.S. Forest Service, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, South Florida Water Management District, St. Johns Water Management District, Southwest Florida Water Management District, Florida Department of Forestry	Research: Genetics, Research: Reintroduction	Contract, Graduate Student, Internal Field Assistance, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert, Volunteer	Included in 43
Florida scrub-jay (Aphelocoma coerulescens)	3	53	Monitor newly established or enhanced populations	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, U.S. National Aeronautics and Space Administration, U.S. Forest Service, Florida Department of Natural Resources , USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta, U.S. Air Force, South Florida Water Management District, St. Johns Water Management District, Southwest Florida Water Management District, Florida Department of Forestry	Management: Reintroduction, Research: Reintroduction	Contract, Graduate Student, Internal Field Assistance, Internal Technical Assistance, Species Expert, Volunteer	Included in 43